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August 26, 1954

The Hon. Allen Dulles
Director, Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C.

Dear Allen:

For your information, I am sending you herewith photostat of letter received from Senator Homer Ferguson and Senator Styles Bridges, which is self-explanatory.

Needless to say, I am deeply honored by this assignment and it is gratifying to know of the confidence and trust that has been placed in me. I shall, of course, do my utmost to follow through to the successful conclusion of this mission.

I plan to visit England, France, Germany, Holland, Belgium, Austria, Norway, Portugal, Italy, Spain and, if time permits, the Middle East as well.

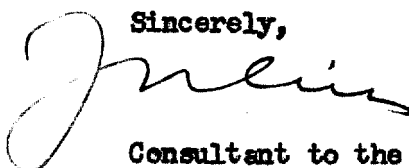
The Subcommittee on Armed Services of the Senate Committee on Appropriations has sent letters to Secretary of Defense Wilson, as well as to secretaries of the various departments, informing them of my mission and requesting their cooperation. I did not want them to write to you, because I felt it was not necessary. However, I do want to talk to you. I realize that this letter will not reach you in Washington, but I hope it will be forwarded to you in Europe.

Mrs. Klein and I expect to leave on the S.S. United States on September 3, which should bring us into Paris about September 8. I would deeply appreciate it if you would be kind enough to let me hear from you in care of General Alfred M. Gruenther's headquarters.

I am, with kind regards,

Julius Klein/
Brigadier General, NGUS

Sincerely,



Consultant to the Committee

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